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# The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

*Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.*

*Philadelphia, December* 20, 1775.

THE Committee, appointed by the Aſſembly to ſettle the Accompts of the ſeveral Battalions and Companies of Aſſociators in this Province, with reſpect to Diſburſements for Drums and Colours, and Allowance to Adjutants, Fugal-men, Fifers and Drummers, will meet at the State-Houſe on the 15th Day of January next, where all thoſe concerned may attend, in order to have their ſeveral Demands adjuſted, and receive Orders for Payment.

The ſaid Committee are alſo directed to make Enquiry concerning the Contributions made by the People called Menoniſts, Omiſh Menoniſts, and Sunday Baptiſts in Lancaſter County, reſpecting the Uſe and Appropriation of ſuch their ſaid Contributions, in order to report the true State and Circumſtance thereof to the Houſe of Aſſembly at the next Meeting.—Therefore, thoſe who will pleaſe to give Information of the ſame, are deſired to attend at the Time and Place aforeſaid.

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*New-Caſtle County, on Delaware, December* 20, 1775.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to ſuch Perſon or Perſons as would undertake to deliver, in ſome ſhort and convenient Time,

## One Hundred good FIRELOCKS,

made in this or any neighbouring Colony, that they do make known their Propoſals as ſpeedily as poſſible to the Subſcribers, who are duly authoriſed to contract for the ſame, for the Uſe of this County. JAMES LATIMER,
¶ JOHN EVANS.

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FOR SALE,

AN Extraordinary Piece of LAND, ſituate on Alloways-Creek, in Salem County, containing 125 Acres. There is a good Dwelling-houſe, with a Cellar under it, on the Premiſes. For Particulars, enquire of the Subſcriber, living in Deerfield, Cumberland County.
¶ SAMUEL WOOD.

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TO BE LET,

And may be entered on by the Firſt of April next,

TWO Valuable Plantations of Lime-ſtone LAND, ſituate in the Great-Valley, 26 miles from Philadelphia, near the Lancaſter road.----One of them contains upwards of 200 acres, on which is a good ſtone dwelling-houſe, barn, ſtables, and other out-houſes.----On the other, containing about 180 acres, is a neat brick houſe, and other convenient out-houſes.---Both have excellent orchards and meadows, and are well fenced. For terms, apply to Dr. SAMUEL KENNEDY. ¶

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TO BE SOLD,

A Valuable Plantation, or Tract of Lime-ſtone LAND, ſituate in the townſhip of Weſt-Marlborough, in Cheſter county, containing 270 acres, 45 whereof are good watered meadow, 60 acres of good thriving timber, and the remainder good plow land: There is on ſaid plantation a good houſe and kitchen, ſuitable for a public houſe, which have been occupied in that way for ſeveral years paſt, and known by the name of Doe-Run Tavern. For further particulars, enquire of the ſubſcriber, living in the townſhip of Birmingham, in ſaid county.

*December* 16, 1775. ‡ JAMES HANNUM.

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THIRTY SHILLINGS Reward.

RUN away, on Saturday, the firſt of December inſtant, a tall, perſonable man, aged about 28, dreſſed in a chocolate coloured Bath coating ſurtout coat, with buttons at the ſleeves, and has a large green velvet collar, a cloſe coat, jacket and breeches of dark brown broadcloth, alſo a pair of blue, red and white narrow ſtriped cotton trowſers, which come down under the ſhoe ſtraps; in his pockets a miniature picture of a young lady, two pair of ruffles, and a tooth-pick caſe; his hair dreſſed in the faſhionable manner, and his hat in the modern cut.---He has much the appearance of a gentleman, ſays he is a doctor, ſpeaks ſome words in the Scottiſh idiom, and has paſſed in the ſeveral places he has been defrauding in, by the names of *Drummond, Stuart,* and *Cambell.* He took with him a bay MARE, ſuppoſed to be 14 hands high, is with foal and is branded on one of the ſhoulders it is thought with S. H. generally paces, but can trot, and was ſeen on the Jerſey road, going towards Cohanſey. Any perſon who delivers the mare, bridle and ſaddle, to WILLIAM COOPER, at his ferry oppoſite Philadelphia, ſhall receive the above reward; and if any one will give intelligence by line or otherwiſe, ſo that the mare may be had again, he ſhall receive Twenty Shillings for his trouble. ¶

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*Springfield, December* 14, 1775.

SIX-PENCE REWARD.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Springfield townſhip, Cheſter county, a Dutch ſervant woman, named *Anna Chriſtiana Elizabeth Myer,* about 20 years of age, black hair, grey eyes, big with child; had on, and took with her, ſeveral ſorts of wearing apparel, too tedious to deſcribe. As ſhe is a notorious runaway, and has been concealed in Philadelphia ſeveral times, theſe are to forbid all perſons from harbouring ſaid ſervant, or concealing her, as they ſhall be dealt with as the law directs. § SAMUEL LEVIS.

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*Lancaſter Goal, December* 12, 1775.

WAS committed to my cuſtody, on ſuſpicion of being a run-a-way, a certain JAMES DEVINE, aged about 20 years, 5 feet 8 inches high, brown hair cut ſhort, ſmooth complexion, and remarkably knock-kneed: Had on, when committed, a half-worn beaver hat, orange coloured coating ſurtout, blue cloth jacket, old buck-ſkin breeches, fine ſhirt, thread ſtockings, and half-worn ſhoes. He is a weaver by trade, and ſays he belongs to Mr. Caleb Emlin, of the city of Philadelphia. His maſter is deſired to come or ſend for him, in three weeks from the date hereof, pay charges, and take him away, otherwiſe he will then be diſcharged, on paying his fees, by

‡ GEORGE EBERLY, Goaler.

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WE, the Subſcribers, Auditors of the Eſtate of JOHN KOPLIN, late of Limirick Townſhip, do hereby give Notice to the Creditors of the ſaid Koplin, to meet at the Houſe of Henry Derring, in New-Hanover Townſhip, on the 31ſt Day of January next, with their Accounts properly atteſted, in order that they may be adjuſted, and receive their proportionable Dividend of the ſaid Eſtate; and thoſe indebted to the ſaid Kopling are to pay off their Accounts on the Day aforeſaid, HENRY DERRING, junior, ADAM BROTZMAN, JOHN STETLER. ‡

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TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS Reward.

ON Tueſday, the 12th of December inſtant, an outward bound Sloop, called the Betſey, was carried off from Cape-Henlopen, by the undermentioned Seamen, after forcing the Subſcriber aſhore, who was then Maſter. She is double decked, built in Philadelphia, about 4 Years old, ſheathed, black Sides, her Decks payed with Tar and Ocre; had on board 8 Hogſheads of Rum, 39 Barrels of Flour, 2 Hogſheads of Loaf Sugar, 100 Pounds of Chocolate, and 600 Pounds of Cheeſe.

*George Buchanan,* Mate; is about 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, a native of Scotland, very talkative, ſmooth faced, long black Hair, tied behind, about 30 Years of Age, and has remarkable long Legs.

*James Herdman,* about 25 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, from the North of Ireland, a little pock-marked, ſtout and well made, black Complexion, and ſhort Hair.

*James Henderſon,* about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, a native of Scotland, very thick and clumſy, pock-marked, has black curled Hair, with ſome white Hairs in his Neck, has a remarkable ſtubbed Noſe, and ſpeaks on the North of England Dialect.

*Peter M'Callum,* about 22 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, born in the Highlands of Scotland, ſmooth faced, with dark brown curled Hair, ſpeaks very broken Engliſh.

Whoever will ſtop the Veſſel and Goods, ſo that the Owner may have them again, ſhall have the above Reward, and FIFTY DOLLARS for each of the Seamen on Conviction, paid by

PHILIP LACEY.

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FOUR DOLLARS Reward.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the ſubſcriber, near the Gap Tavern, in Sadſbury townſhip, Lancaſter county, on the 6th inſtant, two HORSES, one of a cheſtnut colour, about 8 years old, 13 or 14 hands high, branded on the near ſhoulder or buttock S, the near hind foot white, and a natural trotter. The other is black, 2 years old, about 15 hands high, ſwitch tail, his mane hangs on both ſides, and is likewiſe a natural trotter. The owner ſuppoſes (if ſtrayed) ſaid horſes are gone towards Suſquehanna river. Whoever takes up ſaid horſes, ſo that the owner may have them again, ſhall have the above reward; and if ſtolen, Eight Dollars for the thief and horſes, and all reaſonable charges, paid by

*December* 14, 1775. § JOHN WASON.

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*Lower-Merion, Philadelphia County, December* 19, 1775.

STOLEN laſt night, out of the ſtable of the ſubſcriber, A BAY MARE, about 11 years old, near 14 hands high, a ſmall ſtar in her forehead, ſhod before, a natural pacer, no brand or ear-mark. Whoever takes up the ſaid mare, ſo that I get her again, and ſecures the thief, ſhall have THREE POUNDS, or FORTY SHILLINGS for the mare only. The perſon ſuſpected of ſtealing ſaid mare is a young man that ſquints, and had on a blue coat, red jacket, leather breeches, white ſtockings, and a red ſurtout. ¶ STEPHEN GOODMAN.

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*December* 16, 1775.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the ſubſcriber, living near Oxford Meeting-houſe, Eaſt-Nottingham, Cheſter county, TWO DRAFT OXEN, the one of a whitiſh colour, with ſmall ſpots of red along his ſides, and ſpotted and griſled on his neck and ſhoulders, wide horns, which have not been cut, cropped on the near ear, and had a ſcar on the near ſide, without hair when he left me; the other almoſt red, cropped on both ears, with white on different places, wide horns which have not been cut; both riſing four years old. Any perſon or perſons giving notice, ſo that the owner may have them again, ſhall have Fifteen Shillings reward, paid by ROBERT GRAHAM. ‖

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STRAYED away from the ſubſcriber, living in Eaſt-Caln townſhip, Cheſter county, ſome time in the Sixth-Month laſt, TEN SHEEP, viz. Six old ones and four lambs, five of the old ones are ewes and one a wether; the lambs are all ewes, and not ear-marked, one of them is a remarkable ſpotted one, moſt or all of the old ones are marked with a crop off the near ear, and a halfpenny out of the far ear, and one of them had a bell on when they went away; it is thought that they are ſomewhere in Lancaſter county, near the main road leading from Philadelphia to Anderſon's ferry, for they were brought from York county laſt ſpring, and were ſeen in harveſt going up the aforeſaid road, near the Mariner's Compaſs. Whoever takes up or ſecures ſaid ſheep, ſo that the owner may get them again, ſhall have TWO DOLLARS reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

*Twelfth-Month* 15, 1775. ‖ ELIZABETH KIRK.

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STOLEN out of the ſhed of *John Heſſer,* in Beggar's-Town, upon the Germantown road, in Philadelphia county, on Tueſday evening, the 19th of December, 1775, a ſorrel HORSE, near 15 hands high, about 13 years old, ſhod all round, has an uncommonly ſhort ſwitch tail, a white ſpot on one ſide of his back, cauſed by the ſaddle, no brand nor ear-mark remembered; he is a natural pacer. Stolen at the ſame time a ſaddle and bridle, the ſaddle about half-worn, with a blue ſaddle-cloth bound round with white, and a bag with ſome oats tied upon the ſaddle. Any perſon ſecuring ſaid horſe and thief, ſo that the owner may have his horſe, and the thief brought to juſtice, ſhall have *Six Dollars* reward, or for the horſe only *Three Dollars* reward, and reaſonable charges, if brought to *John Heſſer,* in Beggar's-Town, *John Barnhill,* in Philadelphia, or *Samuel Barnhill,* in Shearman's Valley, Cumberland county. †

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*Middletown, Bucks County, December* 12, 1775.

I DO hereby give Information,
A BULL broke into my Plantation,
About three Months before this Date,
Whoſe natural Marks I ſhall relate;
His Face is white, his Sides are black,
With a white Liſt along his Back;
I think the ſtrange miſchievous Beaſt,
Muſt be three Years of Age at leaſt;
And if the Owner does appear,
Before the laſt Day of the Year,
And proves his Right, and Charges pay,
Then he may drive his Beaſt away.

¶ THOMAS PAXSON.

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CAME to the plantation of the Subſcriber, in Gwynedd townſhip, about the 3d of Auguſt laſt, A RED COW, with ſome white under her belly, and ſuppoſed to be 11 years old. The owner proving his property, and paying charges, may have her again. WILLIAM ERVIN. ¶ *Dec.* 20, 1775

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*New-York, December* 13, 1775.

TO THE PUBLIC.

SAMUEL LOUDON

Begs Leave to inform the Public, that on Thurſday, the Fourth Day of January next, he will publiſh No. I. of a News-paper, (To be continued weekly) entituled, THE

NEW-YORK PACKET;

OR THE

AMERICAN ADVERTISER.

HE is encouraged to undertake this arduous Work by the Advice, and promiſed literary Aſſiſtance, of a numerous Circle of warm Friends to our (at preſent much diſtreſſed) Country.

In the Courſe of this Publication, the Editor engages to do every thing in his Power to render it a valuable and accurate NEWS-PAPER, in order that the Public, through its Channel, may receive the earlieſt Intelligence of the State of public Affairs, and of the ſeveral intereſting Occurrences which may occaſionally happen, whether at home or abroad.

He has poſſeſſed himſelf of a neat and ſizeable Aſſortment of Types, together with every other Neceſſary for carrying on a ſplendid News-paper; and the beſt Hands ſhall be procured to perform the mechanical Part.

The NEW-YORK PACKET will be printed in Folio, on a large Paper, of a good Quality, and equal in Size to the other News-papers publiſhed in this City; the Price TWELVE SHILLINGS per Annum: Advertiſements will be inſerted at the uſual Price of FIVE SHILLINGS, when of a moderate Length, and continued Four Weeks; longer Advertiſements to be charged accordingly.

The Publiſher flatters himſelf, that the NEW-YORK PACKET will be conducted on ſuch Principles, as will influence every Lover of real Merit, who may encourage the Work, to preſerve it in Volumes, as a faithful Chronicle of its own Time.

SUBSCRIPTIONS, ADVERTISEMENTS, &c. are thankfully received by SAMUEL LOUDON, at his Houſe in Dock-Street, near the Coffee-Houſe, New-York, where the Printing Buſineſs is carried on with Neatneſs, and on the moſt reaſonable Terms.

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TO BE SOLD,

A Valuable Plantation or Tract of Land (of late the property of David Jones, deceaſed) ſituated in the townſhip of Whitemarſh and county of Philadelphia, containing 227 acres, being elegantly ſituated for a Gentleman's country ſeat, commanding a moſt delightful proſpect down the river Schuylkill, 147 acres cleared and well adapted for raiſing of grain, being chiefly new land, 4 acres of which is meadow and more may be made, the other 80 acres woodland, well timbered; on ſaid premiſes are a new log dwelling-houſe, young bearing orchard, limekiln in good repair, and plenty of good limeſtone; ſaid premiſes are bounded by lands of Samuel Miles, Eſq; and lands belonging to Spring Mill. Any perſon or perſons inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms, by applying to LÆTITIA JONES, on ſaid premiſes, or JOSEPH PAUL, at Spring Mill, Executors. ¶

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*December* 20, 1775.

STOP THIEF!

STOLEN out of the houſe of the ſubſcriber, living in Eaſt-Whiteland townſhip, Cheſter county, on the night of the 13th inſtant, A SILVER WATCH, almoſt new, with a China face, a ſteel chain, braſs key, and the ſeal of a reddiſh colour; wrote on the face of the watch *Iſaac Rodgers, London.* Whoever ſecures the thief and watch, ſo as the owner may have it again, and the thief convicted, ſhall have SIX DOLLARS reward, or THREE DOLLARS for the watch only, paid by WILLIAM TODD. §

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STOLEN *from the Subſcriber, living in Lampeter Townſhip, Lancaſter County, in the Night of the 14th Inſtant,* A BLACK HORSE, *three Years old laſt Spring, about* 12 *or* 13 *Hands high, both hind Legs white, is a natural Pacer, no Brand nor Ear-mark, is a good chunky Horſe, in good Order, and ſhod before. Whoever delivers the Thief and Horſe to the Owner ſhall have* EIGHT DOLLARS *for both, or* FOUR DOLLARS *for the Horſe, and reaſonable Charges, paid by*

December 15, 1775. ¶ TOBIAS GREIDER.

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WHEREAS the Subſcriber, of Northumberland county, purchaſed a certain tract of land of *Richard Malone,* of the county aforeſaid, for which he gave ſeveral bonds, two whereof remain unpaid, viz. one for Twenty Pounds, payable the 3d of Auguſt 1775, and the other for Twenty Pounds, payable the 3d of Auguſt 1776. And whereas the ſaid *Malone* will not make a right to the land for which ſaid bonds were given, according to articles of agreement, the ſubſcriber forewarns all perſons from taking any aſſignment on ſaid bonds, as he is determined not to pay them, unleſs compelled thereto by law.

¶ JOHN LYTLE.

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CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, in the Northern Liberties, near the Falls of Schuylkill, on the 23d day of July, 1775, a poor, old, large blackiſh brown HORSE, with a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, with white hind feet, no brand nor ear-mark. Likewiſe, came to the ſaid place, two old ſtray COWS, one a light brindle, with a crop in each ear, and the top of one horn broke off; ſhe came the 6th of Auguſt; the other a ſmall dark brown pied, with white head and face, and white under her belly; ſhe came ſome time in September. The owner or owners of the ſaid creatures are deſired to come and prove his or their property, pay the charges, and take them away. § JOHN RENSHAW.

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*Salem County, December* 18, 1775.

I *Sarah Smith,* School-miſtreſs, the wife of *William Smith,* take this method to inform the public not to truſt or credit the ſaid *Smith* on my account, for I ſhall never pay any of his contractions; my living ſhall go no more after that rate as it did laſt March to uphold his whores, he abuſed me, and turned me out of doors; his credit and his living came by me, but he forgot that and lives in adultery; now to get more I will if I can, but I will not truſt it to that falſe man; I nine years have been his wife, tho' he for a widower doth paſs, when he meets a ſuitable laſs; for his wicked doings I never more can him abide, nor he never more ſhall lie by my ſide. SARAH SMITH. ¶

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JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be SOLD by the PRINTERS hereof,

POOR RICHARD'S ALMANACK,

For the YEAR 1776.

WILLIAMSBURG, *December* 15.

*Extract of a letter from Major* Spotswood, *of Col.* Woodford's *regiment, to a friend in this city, dated* Great-Bridge, *December* 9.

"We were alarmed this morning by the firing of some guns just after reveille beating, which, as the enemy had paid us this compliment several times, we at first concluded to be nothing but a morning salute; but, in a short time after, I heard Adjutant Blackburn call out, *Boys, stand to your arms.* Col. Woodford and myself immediately got equipped, and ran out. The Col. pressed down to the breastwork, in our front; and my alarm post being 250 yards in another quarter, I ran to it as fast as I could, and by the time I had made all ready for engaging, a very heavy fire ensued at the breastwork, in which were not more than 60 men. It continued for about half an hour, when the King's troops gave way, after sustaining considerable loss, and behaving like true born Englishmen. They marched up to our entrenchments with fixed bayonets; our young troops received them with firmness, and behaved as well as it was possible for soldiers to do. Captain Leslie, of the regulars, commanded the fort on the other side of the bridge. Captain Fordyce, of the grenadiers, led the van with his company, and Lieutenant Batut commanded the advanced party. The former got killed within a few yards of the breastwork, with 12 privates. The Lieutenant, with 16 soldiers, were taken prisoners, all wounded. Several others were carried into the fort, under cover of their cannon; and, from the blood on the bridge, they must have lost one half of the detachment. It would appear that providence was on our side; for, during the whole engagement, we lost not a man, and only one was slightly wounded in the hand. Col. Woodford is a brave officer, and a man I love. He had Captain Fordyce buried with the military honours due to his rank, and all the prisoners that fell into our hands taken the greatest care of. We have not, as yet, been able to ascertain the number killed and wounded on their side. Three officers fusees, with bayonets and cartouch boxes, fell into our hands, from which we judge that there were 3 commissioned officers killed. As soon as a general return can be made out, it will be sent to the Honourable Convention. I am at present in the greatest hurry, and can only give an account of what I have seen."

*Extracts of letters from Col.* William Woodford *to the Hon.* Edmund Pendleton, *Esq; President of the General Convention.*

"A servant belonging to Major Marshall, who deserted the other night from Col. Scott's party, has compleatly taken his Lordship in. Lieut. Batut, who is wounded, and at present my prisoner, informs, that this fellow told them not more than 300 shirtmen were here; and that imprudent man catched at the bait, dispatching Captain Leslie with all the regulars (about 200) who arrived at the bridge about three o'clock in the morning; joined by about 300 black and white slaves, laid planks upon the bridge, and crossed just after our reveille had beat; a lucky time for us, and you'll say rather an improper season for them to make their push, when, of course, all our men must be under arms. The above Lieutenant commanded the advanced party, and Capt. Fordyce, of the grenadiers, led the van with his company, who, for his coolness and bravery, deserved a better fate, as well as the brave fellows who fell with him, who behaved like heroes. They marched up to our breast-work with fixed bayonets, and perhaps a hotter fire never happened, or a greater carnage, for the number of troops. None of the blacks, &c. in the rear with Capt. Leslie, advanced farther than the bridge. I have the pleasure to inform you, that the victory was complete, and that most of their dead and wounded, with two pieces of cannon, were carried off under cover of their guns from the fort. We buried 12, besides the Captain (him with all the military honours due to his rank) and have prisoners Lieut. Batut and 16 privates, all wounded; 35 stands of arms and accoutrements, 3 officers fusees, powder, ball and cartridges, with sundry other things, have likewise fallen into our hands. This was a second Bunker's-hill affair, in miniature, with this difference, that we kept our post, and had only one man wounded in the hand."

*Great Bridge, December* 11.

"Since I wrote yesterday, nothing of moment has happened, but the enemy's abandoning their fort. We took possession of it in the morning, and found therein 6 pieces of cannon, which they had spiked up, 7 guns and a bayonet, a few shot, a quantity of spades and shovels, some bedding, 2 barrels of bread, 20 quarters of beef, a box and a half of candles, 4 or 5 iron pots, a few dozen of bottles, some axes, and old lumber. From the great effusion of blood on the bridge and in the fort, from the accounts of the sentries, who saw many bodies carried out of the fort to be interred, and other circumstances, I conceive their loss to be much greater than I thought it yesterday, and the victory to be complete.—Lieut. Batut having an inclination to inform the King's troops of the humane treatment he has met with here, I dispatched Ensign Hoomes with a flag of truce, and the Lieutenant's letter, who returned with the following answer from the Commander of the fort.—"*Capt. Leslie presents his compliments to Mr. Batut, and returns Col. Woodford his sincere thanks for his kind treatment of the prisoners. He is happy Mr. Batut's wound is so slight, but is extremely sorry for the loss of poor Fordyce.*" The unfortunate Captain Fordyce was a Captain of grenadiers in the 14th regiment, and most of the soldiers were grenadiers of that regiment. As the Captain was a gallant and brave officer, I promised to inter him with all the military honours due to his great merit, which I hope will meet with the approbation of the Hon. the Convention. About 250 Carolina men are arrived, under the command of Col. Vail, with 6 pieces of cannon, and a quantity of powder."

*Great Bridge, December* 12.

"Lt. Col. Stephen arrived at Kemp's landing last night, and agreeable to my orders sent a party to secure every person in that neighbourhood, that had left Norfolk since the battle of the Great Bridge. He informs he has Mr. Max. Calvert, Doctor Campbell, Mr. Mathew Phripp, and others, now with him, whose examination I now enclose. I have had a number of people from thence to-day, whose stories disagree. They bring two petitions, one from the poor inhabitants of Norfolk, the other from the distressed Highlanders, which I likewise send enclosed; and, having given no answers to them yet, have detained the bearers for farther consideration.—Two gentlemen this moment brought me in a young Scotchman, named Hamilton, who confesses he has bore arms, and was at this fort in Gilmour's campany; he was making his way to Nansemond. I have ordered him to be coupled to one of his black brother soldiers, with a pair of handcuffs, which is the resolution I have taken shall be the fate of all those cattle, till I am further instructed by your Honourable House.—I enclose a copy of my advertisement, dispersed over Princess Anne and Norfolk counties, and hope it will meet with your approbation.—Major Eppes arrived here this evening with his party, and Col. Howe with 340 of the Carolina regulars.—I shall march to-morrow with a number of the troops.—I am just informed that several sail of vessels were arrived to-day, thought to have troops on board, but Col. Howe supposes them to be the tenders returning from North Carolina."

Two companies of choice riflemen have arrived at head-quarters this week, who are all well armed, commanded by Capt. Campbell of Fincastle, and Capt. Gibson of West Augusta. Capt. Morgan Alexander, with his rifle company, is expected this day; as fine men, we hear, as ever were seen.

From undoubted authority, we can assure the public, that effectual measures are fallen upon to supply all the colonies with *salt*, in a short time, as well as with *another article*, which there is the greatest probability will be much used in the spring.

The 250 Highlanders lately arrived, with their wives and children, who were bound for Cape Fear, but brought into Norfolk by some of the tenders, to recruit Lord Dunmore's army (a most inhuman proceeding, but of a piece with the rest of his conduct) have petitioned Col. Woodford to fall upon some method to have them sent to the place of their destination.—The inhabitants of Norfolk have likewise sued for protection.

A flag of truce came into Col. Woodford a few days ago, from Lord Dunmore, proposing an exchange of prisoners, which was brought by Lieut. Wallace of the 14th regiment, and a certain Mr. Blair, late of Smithfield, merchant. Col. Woodford returned for answer, that he should consult the Honourable Convention, and acquaint him with their determination.

The gentlemen who are now prisoners with Lord Dunmore are, Col Hutchings, Col. Lawson, Capt. Hunter, Mr. Thoroughgood, and 12 private men.—He has sent to Boston Mr. Robinson, one of the Delegates for Princess Anne, with Capt. Matthews and Capt. Deane.—Capt. William Goodrich, whom he lately took prisoner in Nansemond, is sent out, it is said, in one of the tenders.

It is said that Lord Dunmore intends shortly for the West-Indies with his cargoe of slaves, to make the most of them before his departure for England; as, by letters lately received, it is affirmed that he would be speedily recalled, his conduct in Virginia being much censured by the Ministry.

On Tuesday last, a large schooner from the West-Indies, bound for Norfolk, was taken and brought into Hampton by our men stationed there. She was laden with rum and sugar, and had 2700 dollars on board.

Last Friday se'nnight the sloop Christian, belonging to Mr. Archibald Govan, loaded with wheat, and bound for Glasgow, having met with a gale of wind, put back into Hampton road, and was carried into Hampton by a party of the minute-men stationed there. On examining the letters aboard of her, many were found to contain sentiments inimical to America, written by people from Norfolk; but, in justice to the owner, we cannot help mentioning, that his letters contained *sentiments very friendly to this country*. This is the third time this vessel has put back, from accidents.

CARTER BRAXTON, Esq; was this day chosen a delegate for this colony, to attend the General Congress, in the room of the Hon. Peyton Randolph, Esq; deceased; who, we hear, sets out in a few days to take his seat in that august assembly.

Last night Col. Bullit arrived from the army, with Dr. Campbell of Norfolk, who, besides several other gentlemen of that borough, had surrendered themselves to Col. Woodford, and sued for protection. Lord Dunmore, we hear, swears most furiously that he will bombard Norfolk, should the *shirtmen* come into it. They most certainly will, so that we need not be amazed to hear, soon, of that place's being laid in ashes.

A few days ago six of Lord Dunmore's men deserted from the Otter. They met some of our men, on their way to this city, by whom they were treated with the utmost hospitality; in return, they assisted us, with the highest pleasure, in stowing away our baggage, and in expediting our troops to their destined place. When they were asked what induced them to leave Dunmore, they answered, "Hungry bellies, naked backs, and no fuel, besides, in other respects, the most cruel and inhuman treatment."

The defeat of the British regulars at the Great Bridge, last Saturday, struck the enemy into such dreadful consternation and terror, that after abandoning their fort, they thought it most prudent to retire from Norfolk, and take refuge on board the ships. It is imagined our troops will take possession of that place without opposition, and hoped that they will soon be able to drive the pirates from the harbour.——It is reported, that Lord Dunmore has requested an exchange of prisoners, and that the King's soldiers killed and wounded in the battle amounted to 102, eleven only of the grenadiers having escaped.

VIRGINIA, December 13, 1775.

*By the* REPRESENTATIVES *of the* PEOPLE *of the colony and dominion of* Virginia, *assembled in* GENERAL CONVENTION,

## A DECLARATION.

WHEREAS Lord Dunmore, by his proclamation, dated on board the ship William, the 7th day of November 1775, hath presumed, in direct violation of the constitution and the laws of this country, to declare martial law in force, and to be executed throughout this colony, whereby our lives, our liberty and property, are arbitrarily subjected to his power and direction; and whereas the said Lord Dunmore, assuming powers which the King himself cannot exercise, to intimidate the good people of this colony into a compliance with his arbitrary will, hath declared those who do not immediately repair to his standard, and submit in all things to a government not warranted by the constitution, to be in actual rebellion, and thereby to have incurred the penalties inflicted by the laws for such offences; and hath offered freedom to the servants and slaves of those he is pleased to term *rebels*, arming them against their masters, and destroying the peace and happiness of his Majesty's good and faithful subjects, whose property is rendered insecure, and whose lives are exposed to the dangers of a general insurrection: We, as guardians of the lives and liberty of the people our constituents, conceive it to be indispensably our duty to protect them against every species of despotism, and to endeavour to remove those fears with which they are so justly alarmed.

If it were possible the understanding of men could be so blinded that every gleam of reason might be lost, the *hope* his Lordship says he hath ever entertained of an accommodation between Great-Britain and this colony might now pass unnoticed; but truth, justice and common sense must ever prevail, when facts can be appealed to in their support. It is the peculiar happiness of this colony, that his Lordship can be traced as the source of innumerable evils, and one of the principal causes of the misfortunes under which we now labour. A particular detail of his conduct since his arrival in this colony can be considered only as a repetition, it having been already fully published to the world by the proceedings of the General Assembly, and a former Convention; but the unremitting violence with which his Lordship endeavours to involve this country in the most dreadful calamities, constantly affords new matter for the attention of the public, and will remove every imputation of ingratitude to his Lordship, or of injustice to his character. His Lordship is pleased to ascribe the unworthy part he hath taken against this colony to a necessity arising from the conduct of its inhabitants, whom he hath considered in a *rebellious* state, but who know nothing of *rebellion* except the name. Ever zealous in support of tyranny, he hath broken the bonds of society, and trampled justice under his feet. Had his Lordship been desirous of effecting an accommodation of these disputes, he hath had the most ample occasion of exerting both his interest and abilities; but that he never had in view any such salutary end most evidently appears from the whole tenor of his conduct. The supposed design of the Canada bill having been to draw down upon us a savage and merciless enemy, the present manœuvres amongst the Roman Catholics in Ireland, and the schemes concerted with Doctor Connelly, and other vile instruments of tyranny, which have appeared by the examination of the said Connelly, justify the supposition, and most fully evince his Lordship's inimical and cruel disposition towards us, and can best determine whether we have been wrong in preparing to resist, even by arms, that system of tyranny adopted by the Ministry and Parliament of Great-Britain, of which he is become the rigid executioner in this colony. The many depredations committed also upon the inhabitants of this colony, by the tenders and other armed vessels, employed by his Lordship for such purposes, the pilfering and plundering the property of the people, and the actual seduction and seizure of their slaves, were truly alarming in their effects, and called aloud for justice and resistance. The persons of many of our peaceable brethren have been seized and dragged to confinement, contrary to the principles of liberty, and the constitution of our country. Yet have we borne this injurious treatment with unexampled patience, unwilling to shed the blood of our fellow-subjects, who, prosecuting the measures of a British Parliament, would sacrifice our lives and property to a relentless fury and unabating avarice. If a Governor can be authorised, even by Majesty itself, to annul the laws of the land, and introduce the most execrable systems, the law martial; if, by his single fiat, he can strip us of our property, can give freedom to our servants and slaves, and arm them for our destruction, let us bid adieu to every thing valuable in life, let us at once bend our neck to the galling yoke, and hug the chains prepared for us and our latest posterity!

It is with inexpressible concern we reflect upon the distressed situation of some of our unhappy countrymen, who have thought themselves too immediately within the power of *Lord Dunmore*, and have been induced thereby to remain inactive. We lament the advantage he hath taken of their situation, and at present impute their inactivity, in the cause of freedom and the constitution, not to any defection or want of zeal, but to their defenceless state; and whilst we endeavour to afford them succour, and to support their rights, we expect they will contribute every thing in their power to effect their deliverance. Yet, if any of our people, in violation of their faith plighted to this colony, and the duty they owe to society, shall be found in arms, or continue to give assistance to our enemies, we shall think ourselves justified, by the necessity we are under, in executing upon them the law of retaliation.

Impressed with a just and ardent zeal for the welfare and happiness of our countrymen, we trust they will, on their part, exert themselves in defence of our common cause, and that we shall all acquit ourselves like freemen, being compelled, by the disagreeable, but absolute necessity, of repelling *force by force*, to maintain our just rights and privileges; and we appeal to GOD, who is the sovereign disposer of all events, for the justice of our cause, trusting to his unerring wisdom to direct our councils, and give success to our ARMS.

EDMUND PENDLETON, President

VIRGINIA, December 14, 1775.

*By the* REPRESENTATIVES *of the* PEOPLE *of the colony and dominion of* Virginia, *assembled in* GENERAL CONVENTION,

## A DECLARATION.

WHEREAS Lord Dunmore, by his proclamation, dated on board the ship William, off Norfolk, the 7th day of November 1775, hath offered freedom to such able-bodied slaves as are willing to join him, and take up arms, against the good people of this colony, giving thereby encouragement to a general insurrection, which may induce a necessity of inflicting the severest punishments upon those unhappy people, already deluded by his base and insidious arts; and whereas, by an act of the General Assembly now in force in this colony, it is enacted, that all Negro or other slaves, conspiring to rebel or make insurrection, shall suffer death, and be excluded all benefit of clergy: We think it proper to declare, that all slaves who have been, or shall be seduced, by his Lordship's proclamation, or other arts, to desert their master's service, and take up arms against the inhabitants of this colony, shall be liable to such punishment as shall hereafter be directed by the General Convention. And to the end that all such who have taken this unlawful and wicked step, may return in safety to their duty, and escape the punishment due to their crimes, we hereby promise pardon to them, they surrendering themselves to Col. William Woodford, or any other commander of our troops, and not appearing in arms after the publication hereof. And we do further earnestly recommend it to all humane and benevolent persons in this colony, to explain and make known this our offer of mercy to those unfortunate people.

EDMUND PENDLETON, President.

CAMBRIDGE, December 14.

Yesterday afternoon an express arrived at his Excellency the General's from Marblehead, with advice, that three men of war were seen off that harbour, and that it was apprehended an attack upon the town was intended. On the reception of this intelligence, Col. Glover's regiment, with a company of artillery, were ordered to march immediately for that place.

Since the arrival of the abovementioned express we hear, that the three men of war had approached, by yesterday noon, very near the mouth of Marblehead harbour, and that all the militia of the neighbouring towns were under arms—A very good fortification, mounting about twenty pieces of good cannon, had been lately erected at the entrance of said harbour; so that, we hope, any attempt for destroying the town will meet with a vigorous and successful resistance.

Since our laſt 5000 of the brave ſons of New-England (3000 of this colony, and 2000 from New-Hampſhire) have joined the Continental Army under the command of his Excellency General Waſhington.

WATERTOWN, *December* 11.

It is reported that the piratical gentry and military butchers of the town of Boſton, not reliſhing ſalt proviſions, which are too good for them, are equipping men of war ſchooners with hay, wood, &c. on their decks, to decoy our privateers, but their little arts, like themſelves, are of no conſequence; it is to be hoped we ſhall have opportunity to convince them, that the proviſion veſſels we have already capted will be but the beginning of ſorrow to them, in the comfortable proſpect of a long cold winter:———From ſuch events ſhould they experience keen appetites, and have nothing to eat, we ſhould acquieſce in Providence; for as they have proved themſelves to have no ſouls, there is no need of concern for their worthleſs carcaſes. But we ſhall not be regardleſs of their armed ſchooners, and have no objection to the taking them, whenever they ſhall ſee fit to come in our way.

WORCESTER, *December* 15.

*Extract of a Letter from an Officer in the Continental ſervice, in Canada, to a Gentleman in this Place, dated Point aux Trembie (21 miles above Quebec) Nov.* 22, 1775.

"As to the affairs in this province, I ſuppoſe, as there is a free communication between Gen. Montgomery's army and Head-Quarters, you are fully acquainted.—We impatiently wait a junction of ſome part or all of Montgomery's forces, to ſubject the only remaining fortreſs in this province (now in the poſſeſſion of Carleton) to the united colony forces: Carleton has injured the cauſe of the miniſtry very much in cauſing them to depend on the French inhabitants: Had it not been for an Engliſh gentleman, who was a greater politician than himſelf, he would have ſent the few Britiſh troops that now remain here to Boſton, in that caſe he would have been entirely deſerted, the inhabitants are all in our favour, they ſtrive with each other which ſhall be firſt in doing kind offices to the Boſtonians, as they call all that come from the Engliſh colonies."

NEW-YORK, *December* 25.

*Extract of a letter from a gentleman at New-Haven, to his friend in this city, dated December* 20.

"I take this opportunity to inform you, that one regiment of foot, and three troops of horſe, are embarked at Boſton, and going ſomewhere; there is not the leaſt doubt but they are deſtined for your place.—Pray be on your guard."

PHILADELPHIA, *December* 27.

"*Frederick County, Maryland, Nov.* 24, 1775.

"SIR,

I AM directed, by the Committee of this county, to tranſmit to you copies of the examinations of Allen Cameron, John Smith, John Connelly, and a letter to one Gibſon from Connelly, and Lord Dunmore's ſpeech to White Eyes, and propoſals by Connelly to Gen. Gage for the raiſing an army for the deſtruction of the liberties of the colonies. Any orders relative to the priſoners will be ſtrictly obſerved, the Committee and inhabitants of this county being determined to purſue every meaſure which the Congreſs may recommend to them, as neceſſary for the preſervation of theſe colonies at this time of imminent danger. I am, very reſpectfully, Sir,

*Your moſt humble Servant,*

JOHN HANSON, jun. Chairman."

*The Honourable John Hancock, Eſq;*

*Preſident of the Congreſs.*

FREDERICK-TOWN, MARYLAND.

In COMMITTEE CHAMBER, *November* 23, 1775.

Allen Cameron, Dr. John Smith, and John Connelly, being taken into cuſtody, were brought before the Committee, and the following examinations were taken.

Allen Cameron, a native of Scotland, which he left for an affair of honour, and came to Virginia, with an intention to purchaſe back lands, and intended to go to Henderſon for that purpoſe; but finding it difficult to paſs through the back country, encouraged by Lord Dunmore, and promiſe of advancement, he agreed to accept a commiſſion as Firſt Lieutenant in the regiment to be raiſed by Col. Connelly.

Dr. John Smith, a native of Scotland, left Charles County, Maryland, for political reaſons, and intended to go to the Miſſiſippi, but finding it impracticable, he returned to Norfolk, and being induced by Lord Dunmore, with promiſes of preferment, he accepted the appointment of Surgeon to Col. Connelly's regiment.

John Connelly, a native of Lancaſter county, Pennſylvania, admits his letter to Gibſon, a copy being ſhewn him. He went the 25th of July from Fort Dunmore to Lord Dunmore, and delivered him propoſals in ſubſtance the ſame with thoſe found in his poſſeſſion, and in his hand writing. That he was ſent by Lord Dunmore to General Gage with letters, and his propoſals to Gage; that he left Boſton the fourteenth or fifteenth of September, and returned to Lord Dunmore in the middle of October; that he brought inſtructions from General Gage to Lord Dunmore, who granted him a commiſſion of Lieutenant Colonel Commandant of a regiment to be raiſed in the back parts and Canada, with powers to nominate officers, who were to be confirmed by Lord Dunmore; that he is now on his way to Detroit, where he was to meet his commiſſion and inſtructions; that he left Lord Dunmore about ten days ago, who had with him one ſloop of ſixteen guns, and another of eighteen; that the ſhip which Lord Dunmore is on board of, is armed with ſix or eight guns; that a veſſel of 20 guns is daily expected from Jamaica; that John Smith never was appointed Surgeon, and that he told Smith if he was the man he repreſented himſelf to be, it was poſſible he would appoint him.

*Reſolved*, That the ſaid Allen Cameron and John Connelly be kept in cloſe and ſafe cuſtody, until the orders of the Congreſs be known; and that the Chairman tranſmit copies of the examinations and papers to the Honourable the Preſident of the Congreſs, and to the Conventions or Councils of Safety of the colony of Virginia and this province.

*Reſolved*, That Dr. John Smith be kept in cuſtody till the farther orders of this Committee.

"*Propoſals for raiſing an army to the Weſtward, and for effectually obſtructing a communication between the Southern and Northern Governments.*

"AS I have, by directions from his Excellency Lord Dunmore, prepared the Ohio Indians to act in concert with me againſt his Majeſty's enemies in that quarter, and have alſo diſpatched intelligence to the different officers of the militia on the frontiers of Auguſta county, in Virginia, giving them Lord Dunmore's aſſurances that ſuch of them as ſhall hereafter evince their loyalty to his Majeſty, by putting themſelves under my command, when I ſhould appear amongſt them with proper authority for that purpoſe, of a confirmation of titles to their lands, and the quantity of three hundred acres to all who ſhould take up arms in ſupport of the conſtitution, when the preſent rebellion ſubſided, I will undertake to penetrate through Virginia, and join his Excellency Lord Dunmore at Alexandria early next ſpring, on the following conditions and authority.

"*Firſt*, That your Excellency will give me a commiſſion to act as Major Commandant of ſuch troops as I may raiſe, and embody on the frontiers, with a power to command to the weſtward, and employ ſuch ſerviceable French and Engliſh partizans as I can engage by pecuniary rewards or otherwiſe.

"*Secondly*, That your Excellency will give orders to Capt. Lord, at the Illinois, to remove himſelf, with the garriſon under his command, from Fort Gage to Detroit, by the Auabache, bringing with him all the artillery, ſtores, &c. &c. to facilitate which undertaking, he is to have authority to hire boats, horſes, Frenchmen, Indians, &c. &c. to proceed with all poſſible expedition on that rout, as the weather may occaſionally permit, and to put himſelf under my command on his arrival at Detroit.

"*Thirdly*, That the Commiſſary at Detroit ſhall be empowered to furniſh ſuch proviſions as I may judge neceſſary for the good of the ſervice, and that the commanding officer ſhall be inſtructed to give every poſſible aſſiſtance in encouraging the French and Indians of that ſettlement to join me.

"*Fourthly*, That an officer of artillery be immediately ſent with me to purſue ſuch rout as I may find moſt expedient to gain Detroit, with orders to have ſuch pieces of light ordnance as may be thought requiſite for the demoliſhing of Fort Dunmore and Fort Fincaſtle, if reſiſtance ſhould be made by the rebels in poſſeſſion of thoſe garriſons.

"*Fifthly*, That your Excellency will empower me to make ſuch reaſonable preſents to the Indian Chiefs, and others, as may urge them to act with vigour in the execution of my orders.

"*Sixthly*, That your Excellency will ſend to Lord Dunmore ſuch arms as may be ſpared, in order to equip ſuch perſons as may be willing to ſerve his Majeſty at our junction, in the vicinity of Alexandria, &c. &c. If your Excellency judges it expedient for the good of the ſervice, to furniſh me with the authority and other requiſites I have mentioned, I ſhall embrace the earlieſt opportunity of ſetting off for Canada, and ſhall immediately diſpatch Lord Dunmore's armed ſchooner, which now awaits my commands, with an account of what your Excellency has done, and that I ſhall be ready, if practicable, to join his Lordſhip by the twentieth of April, at Alexandria, where the troops under my command may fortify themſelves under cover of the men of war on that ſtation.

"If, on the contrary, your Excellency ſhould not approve of what I propoſe, you will be good enough to immediately honour me with your diſpatches to the Earl of Dunmore, that I may return as early as poſſible."

"*Portſmouth, Auguſt* 9, 1775.

"I have ſafely arrived here, and am happy to the greateſt degree in having ſo fortunately eſcaped the narrow inſpection of my enemies, the enemies to their country, to good order and government. I ſhould eſteem myſelf defective in point of friendſhip towards you, ſhould I neglect to caution you to avoid an over zealous exertion of what is now ſo ridiculouſly called patriotic ſpirit; but, on the contrary, to deport yourſelf with that moderation for which you have been always remarkable, and which muſt, in this inſtance, tend to your honour and advantage. You may be aſſured from me, Sir, that nothing but the greateſt unanimity now prevails at home, and that the innovating ſpirit amongſt us is looked upon here as ungenerous and undutiful; and that the utmoſt exertions of the powers of government, if neceſſary, will be uſed, to convince the infatuated people of their folly. I could, I aſſure you, Sir, give you ſuch convincing proofs of what I aſſert, and from which every reaſonable perſon may conclude the effects, that nothing but madneſs could operate upon a man ſo far, as to overlook his duty to the preſent conſtitution, and to form unwarrantable aſſociations with enthuſiaſts, whoſe ill-timed folly muſt draw upon them inevitable deſtruction. His Lordſhip deſires you to preſent his hand to Capt. White Eyes, and to aſſure him, that he is very ſorry that he had not the pleaſure of ſeeing him at the treaty, or that the ſituation of affairs prevented him from coming down.

"Believe me, dear Sir, that I have no motive in writing my ſentiments thus to you, farther than to endeavour to ſteer you clear of the misfortunes, which, I am confident, muſt involve, but unhappily too many. I have ſent you an addreſs from the people of Great-Britain to the people of America, and I deſire you to conſider it attentively, which will, I flatter myſelf, convince you of the idleneſs of many declamations, and of the abſurdity of an intended ſlavery. Give my love to George, and tell him that he ſhall hear from me, and I hope to his advantage. Interpret the incloſed ſpeech to Captain White Eyes from his Lordſhip. Be prevailed upon to ſhun the popular error, and judge for yourſelf; act as a good ſubject, and expect the rewards due to your ſervices.

I am, dear Sir,

Your ſincere friend and ſervant,

JOHN CONNELLY."

*To Mr. John Gibſon, near Fort Dunmore.*

"*Brother Captain White Eyes*,

"I am glad to hear your good ſpeeches ſent me by Major Connelly, and you may be aſſured I ſhall put the one end of the belt, which you have ſent me, into the hands of our great King, who will be glad to hear from his brothers the Delawares, and will take a ſtrong hold of it. You may reſt ſatisfied, that our fooliſh young men ſhall never be permitted to have your lands, but, on the contrary, the great King will protect you, and preſerve you in the poſſeſſion of them. Our young people in the country have been very fooliſh, and done many imprudent things, for which they ſoon muſt be ſorry, and of which I make no doubt they have acquainted you; but I muſt deſire you not to liſten to them, as they would be willing that you ſhould act equally fooliſh with themſelves. But rather let what you hear paſs in at one ear and out at the other, ſo that it may make no impreſſion on your heart, until you hear from me fully, which ſhall be ſo ſoon as I can give him farther information, who am your friend and brother.

"Captain White Eyes will pleaſe to acquaint the Corn Stalk with theſe my ſentiments alſo, as well as the Chiefs of the Mingoes, and the other Six Nations.

Your ſincere friend and elder brother,

DUNMORE."

*A true Copy from the Minutes,*

UPTON SHEREDINE, *Clerk pro tem.*

Publiſhed by order of the Congreſs,

CHARLES THOMSON, Secretary.

*Extract of a Letter from General Schuyler, dated Albany, December* 14, 1775.

"The Indians delivered us a ſpeech on the 12th, in which they related the ſubſtance of all the conferences Colonel Johnſon had with them the laſt ſummer, concluding with that at Montreal, where he delivered to each of the Canadian Tribes a War Belt and the Hatchet, who accepted it: After which they were invited to *Feaſt on a Boſtonian, and drink his Blood.* An ox being roaſted for the purpoſe, and a pipe of wine given to drink, the War Song was ſung.—One of the Chiefs of the Six Nations, that attended at that conference, accepted a very large black War Belt, with a Hatchet depictured in it; but would neither eat, nor drink, nor ſing the War Song. This famous Belt they have delivered up, and we have now a full proof that the Miniſterial ſervants have attempted to engage the Savages againſt us."

Publiſhed by Order of Congreſs,

CHARLES THOMSON, Secretary.

*** The Subſcribers to the American Manufactory of Linens, &c. who intend, but have not yet paid in their Subſcriptions, are earneſtly requeſted to call, for that Purpoſe, on *Joſeph Stiles*, Treaſurer, in Arch-ſtreet, near Second-ſtreet, in order that the Capital of the Company may be aſcertained.

†††*The Committee of Privates of the Aſſociation meets this Evening at Mr. Thorne's School-houſe, preciſely at Six o'Clock, when every Member is particularly requeſted to attend.*

*Trenton, December* 18, 1775.

THE Committee of Safety for the Colony of New-Jerſey are to meet at the Houſe of Jacob Hyre, in Princeton, on Tueſday, the 9th Day of January next, at Two o'Clock. All the Members are deſired to attend, as ſeveral Matters of Importance will be laid before them.

SAMUEL TUCKER, Preſident.

THE Members of *The Society for the Relief of poor and diſtreſſed Maſters of Ships, their Widows and Children*, are deſired to attend their General Meeting, at the Coffee-Houſe, on Monday, the firſt of January, 1776, in order to chooſe 12 Managers, and a Treaſurer, for the enſuing Year.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be ſold by public vendue, on Tueſday, the 9th day of January, 1776, at 2 o' clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes, ſituate about 1 mile from John Porter's Inn, in the townſhip of Whitpain, a certain meſſuage or tenement, and tract or piece of land, ſituate in the townſhip of Whitpain aforeſaid, containing 145 acres and 74 perches; bounded by lands of George Caſtner, and others; late the eſtate of Robert Porter, deceaſed; ſeized and taken in execution by WILLIAM DEWEES, Sheriff.

PRINTING,

In *Engliſh*, *German*, and other Languages.

THE Subſcribers being provided with a general Aſſortment of NEW and ELEGANT TYPES, and other Printing-Materials, have opened an OFFICE, at the Corner of *Coats's-Alley*, in *Second-ſtreet*, above *Race-ſtreet*, oppoſite the Sign of the BUCK; where they intend carrying on the PRINTING BUSINESS in all its different Branches, with Care, Fidelity and Expedition: And as they are determined to uſe their utmoſt Endeavours to give Satisfaction to thoſe who may be pleaſed to employ them, they humbly requeſt the Favour and Encouragement of the Public in general, and their Friends and Acquaintance in particular. MELCHIOR STYNER, and

*Philadelphia, Dec.* 18. 1775. CHARLES CIST.

TO BE SOLD,

THE Time of a DUTCH SERVANT GIRL; ſhe is hearty and ſtrong, fit for Town or Country Buſineſs, has upwards of Six Years to ſerve. Enquire of the Printers. ¶

*TO BE SOLD,*

THE Time of an ENGLISH SERVANT GIRL, who has 3 Years and 8 Months to ſerve; can do moſt Kinds of Houſe-work. Alſo a NEGROE MAN, about 25 Years of Age, has had the Small-pox and Meaſles; is very handy about Houſe. Enquire of the PRINTERS. *Dec.* 27. ¶

FRANCIS TRUMBLE

Has for SALE, at his Cabinet and Chair-ſtore, in Front-ſtreet, near Pine-ſtreet,

EIGHTY mahogany chairs, carved and plain; 30 tea tables; 20 dining tables; 6 deſks; cheſts of drawers; deſks and book-caſes; dreſſing tables; writing tables; card tables; pembroke tables; tea ſtands; tea trays; tea and decanter boards; bedſteads and cradles. The whole made of ſeaſoned mahogany, and good workmanſhip. Twelve hundred Windſor chairs; walnut chairs and cradles; ſettees; painted bedſteads and tables; ſacking bottoms; chairs and ſtools for counting-houſes; flat and round hard wood rulers; ſea cheſts; walking ſticks; lime ſqueeſers; rolling pins; ſugar mallets; bedſtead and cloak pins; 20,000 feet of mahogany board, and plank, fit for immediate uſe; poplar, oak, and New-England pine plank; oak poſts, from 12 to 18 feet long. An aſſortment of low price braſs handles for cheſts of drawers; braſs locks, and lifting handles, for deſks; braſs knockers for doors; faſh ſcrews, and curtain rings; coffin handles, plates, and letters; cheſt hinges; ſnipe bill T hinges; augres; ſocket heading chiſſels, and gouges; ſcale beams; iron boxes; ſhoemakers' pinchers; awl handles, and blades; ſcupper nails; bed ſcrews; cheſt handles. Alſo, the Times of three Dutch Servant men, who have each near four years to ſerve.

WANTED. Several journeymen ſpinning-wheel makers; 5000 feet 2 inch poplar plank; 2000 feet inch ditto; 2000 half inch ditto; 1000 feet walnut plank, 2½ inches thick; 1000 feet ½ inch ditto; 1000 feet of white oak joint ſtuff for tables; 40 ſetts of poplar ſtuff for beadſteads; 4 cords of white oak butts, clear of knots, in 4 feet lengths; 40,000 hickory ſticks for Windſor chairs; 500 ſetts of ſtocks and rims for ſpinning wheels. Any perſons who can ſupply me with the above, by calling on me at my houſe, in Second-ſtreet, Southwark, will oblige, their friend, FRANCIS TRUMBLE. ¶ 7 5 6.

GOODS in the MAYOR'S OFFICE, ſuppoſed to be STOLEN,

ONE Silver Table Spoon, a Beaver Hat, almoſt new, a Liſt Carpet, a Rug, a Sailor's blue Jacket, a Sailor's red Jacket, a Pewter Baſon and Tea Pot, and a ſmall Sum of Money. *December* 26, 1775.

FORTY SHILLINGS Reward.

RUN away, on Firſt-day, the 24th inſtant, from the ſubſcriber, living on Newtown Creek, in Glouceſter county, an Engliſh ſervant lad, about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, named *Thomas Day*, but probably may change it, about 20 years of age, wears his own light coloured buſhy hair; had on, when he went away, a half-worn beaver hat, cloth coloured upper jacket, very much worn, under it a Wilton coatee, much on the reddiſh caſt, buckſkin breeches, much wore and broke on the knees, coarſe homeſpun ſhirt, quite new, grey yarn ſtockings, lately footed, old ſhoes, with plated buckles. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid ſervant, ſo that his maſter may get him again, ſhall be entitled to the above reward, from

BENJAMIN THACKARY.

☞ It is likely he will make for Dunmore, as he came from that way, and is a great Tory. *December* 27, 1775. ¶

TWELVE DOLLARS Reward.

WAS STOLEN, laſt night, out of the ſubſcriber's ſtable, in Frankford, a bright ſorrel MARE, about 12 years old, about 14¼ hands high, lately ſhod all round, paces and trots well, ſome white in her face, one hind foot white, a ſhort dock and ſwitch tail; alſo a half-worn Saddle, with odd ſtirrups and a patch on the pummel. Any perſon apprehending the thief and mare, ſhall have the above reward, or EIGHT DOLLARS for the mare, and reaſonable charges, paid by

*December* 22, 1775. JOHN ROBERTS.

## NEW-YORK, December 20.

*A letter from William Tryon, Esq; to his Worship the Mayor of this city.*

Ship Dutchess of Gordon, off New-York,
*December* 18, 1775.

"SIR,

"I lose no time in transmitting to you herewith, a letter I this morning received from Captain Parker, of his Majesty's ship Phœnix, communicating certain instructions he has received from Admiral Greaves for the rule of his conduct on this station, which letter you will forthwith make known to the corporation and citizens of New-York; and I request that you will insert it in the public papers, to the end that the inhabitants of the province may have the COMFORT of knowing the protection that is afforded *to the friends of order and good government*, and be warned to avoid a continuation of measures that will involve the country in misery, and bring destruction upon their families, and on their own heads.

I am Sir, Your very humble Servant,

Whitehead Hicks, Esq; Mayor of the city of New-York. WM. TRYON.

"SIR,

"Being ordered by my instructions from Vice-Admiral Greaves, commander in chief of his Majesty's ships and vessels in North-America, publicly to signify to all towns accessible to his Majesty's ships, that in case any violences shall hereafter be offered to any of the officers of the crown, or other peaceable disposed subjects of his Majesty, or if any bodies of men shall be raised and armed in the said towns, or any military works erected otherwise than by order of his Majesty, or those acting under his authority, or if any attempts shall be made to seize or destroy any public magazine of arms, ammunition or stores, in all or either of those cases, it will be my duty to treat the said town as in open rebellion against the King.

"I am to request that your Excellency will be pleased to let the above instructions be publicly made known in the town of New-York, at the same time you will assure them, that I shall be happy in granting the town every protection in the power of his Majesty's ships under my command. I am, Sir, Your most obedient, and most humble Servant,

Phœnix, at New-York, 18th December, 1775. H. PARKER.

*To his Excellency Governor Tryon.*

*Extract of a letter from a gentleman at Cambridge, to his friend at New-Haven, December* 11.

"Yesterday about 600 of the Regulars on Bunker's Hill demolished their advanced works over on this side the causeway; various are the conjectures on this manœuvre, some think they are about to abandon the Hill, and take possession of Dorchester-point, others think that as those advanced works were of little advantage to them in making a defence against an attack, they did not think them worth the trouble of guarding, others imagine they will all retire to Boston, and remain there during the winter, and others, that they have done it to lull us into security, and intend to make an attack that way; my opinion is, that they have no great inclination for fighting at present, and will be content if they can defend themselves through the winter. I imagine some time this week we shall have some firing, as Letchmore's point is to be fortified in a day or two. By accounts received from Boston last week, they are in great want of almost every thing, no fresh meat to be had; what fresh fish is brought in, must be sold to the soldiers first, and the inhabitants not allowed to touch any till the soldiers are supplied, no wood or coal to be had for money, many houses are already pulled down for fuel, and it is supposed, that all the wooden buildings that are not improved will undergo the same fate before the spring. Flour very scarce, the price 40s. ster. per Cwt. no roots, except a few potatoes for the soldiers."

## PHILADELPHIA.

By letters from Gen. Schuyler we learn, that Col. Easton had taken the vessels bound from Montreal for Quebec, under the command of Carleton or Prescot—That Carleton, with four or five Canadians, had landed from the fleet, and were making the best of their way to Quebec, in the dress of peasants—That the Brig Gaspee, together with 7 Sloops and Schooners, which were taken as above, had on board, who are also taken, Brigadier Gen. Prescott, Captain William Dunbar, Major of Brigade, Captain William Gamble, Quarter-Master-General; Captains Anstruther, Swan, Glawford and Harris; Lieutenant Cleveland; Ensigns Camble, Leslie, M'Donald—Dr. Beaumont, and 150 privates, and most of them of the 26th regiment and the artillery. There was on board the vessels, 2 cannon of 9 and 2 of 6 pounders; 36 cannon cartridges, and 45 ball; 3 barrels of powder, 2380 musket cartridges, 8 chests of arms, 200 pair of shoes, a quantity of intrenching tools, 760 barrels of flour, 20 of biscuit, 675 barrels of beef, and 376 firkins of butter. We further learn that Colonel Allen and his party, who were taken prisoners near Montreal, are actually sent to England in irons, by Major Prescot; and that General Montgomery, with a strong detachment, was to leave Montreal on the 25th of November, to reinforce Colonel Arnold at Quebec.

Letters from New-York mention, that Captain Vandeput of the Asia has orders to seize all vessels either going in or out, the provision vessels and those with salt to be sent to Boston; in consequence of which, he has already taken a brig belonging to Mr. Beach, with a load of salt, from Lisbon or St Ubes; and notwithstanding she leaks intolerably, and has already pumped out near one quarter of her salt, yet she is going to Boston.

## COMMITTEE of CITY and LIBERTIES.

*December* 12, 1775.

*Resolved*,—That the price of *Oyl* be limited to 5 l. per barrel, and no person who may purchase any to retail again be allowed to advance above 5*s*. per barrel when sold on the wharff, and 7*s*6 per barrel for what they store; and that this Committee recommend it to the retailers in small quantities to sell it in proportion.

R. S. JONES, Secretary.

*Philadelphia, December* 18, 1775.

## WILLIAM BELL,

Late of this City, Merchant, being some time since embarked for EUROPE,

HATH duly impowered the subscriber to transact such of his business as he has left unsettled: Those persons, therefore, who are indebted to the said William Bell, are requested to pay off their accounts, bonds, &c. to JOHN STEINMETZ, at his store, in Market-street, near Fourth-street; where he has a general assortment of dry goods to dispose of (imported agreeable to the Resolves of the Continental Congress) also choice old West-India rum, and a few quarter casks best old Lisbon wine. ¶

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be sold by public vendue, on Tuesday, the 2d day of January next, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the house of Benjamin Armitage, the corner of Chestnut and Fourth-streets from Delaware, a certain brick messuage or tenement, with the appurtenances, situate on the south side of Walnut-street, between Fourth and Fifth-streets from Delaware aforesaid, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in front 18 feet and an half, and in depth 220 feet; bounded by ground of ----- Bullock, and others; late the estate of Timothy Matlork; seized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM DEWEES, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be sold by public vendue, on Wednesday, the 3d day of January next, at the house of Anthony Fortune, in Southwark, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a certain brick messuage or tenement, and kitchen and frame work shop and lot or piece of ground thereunto belonging, with all and every other the improvements and appurtenances, situate on the east side of Third and south side of Shippen-street, in the District of Southwark aforesaid, containing in front about 40 feet, more or less, and in depth on Shippen-street, 30 feet; bounded by ground of George Woods, and others; subject to a groundrent of ----- per annum; late the estate of Joseph Rhoads; seized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM DEWEES, Sheriff.

BY virtue of sundry writs to me directed, will be sold by public vendue, on Thursday, the 4th day of January next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at the house of Edward Barrett, in Front-street, Southwark, the unexpired term of about ten years to come, of and in a certain brick messuage or tenement, and lot or piece of ground thereto belonging, situate on the south side of Almond-street, between Front and Second-streets, in the District of Southwark aforesaid; late the property of James Weldon Roberts; seized and taken in execution by

WILLIAM DEWEES, Sheriff.

*Chester County, Twelfth-Month* 13, 1775.

To be sold by public vendue, on the 20th day of the First-Month next, at the house of Joseph Gibbons, in West-town, the following articles, viz.

A WEAVER's LOOM, Slays and Geers, with other utensils fitting to carry on the weaving business; also a stove, and some wearing apparel, mall and wedges, pitching axe, &c. likewise a silver watch, with sundry other articles; late the effects of Francis Miller; attached for the use of the said Miller's creditors, and sold by GEORGE ASHBRIDGE, THOMAS TAYLOR, and CALEB JAMES, Auditors.

N. B. All persons that have any demands against said *Miller*, are desired to give their attendance, at the house of Jacob James, in Goshen, on the 27th day of said month, in order to bring in their accounts, that the dividend may be adjusted by said Auditors. † 5 W.

*Philadelphia, December* 9, 1775.

ALL persons having any just demands against the estate of JOHN ADAMS, late of the District of Southwark, deceased, are desired to bring in their accounts, properly proved, by the 24th instant, in order that they may be settled and paid; and all persons who are indebted to the said deceased's estate, are desired immediately to come and pay the subscriber,

† CATHARINE ADAMS, Administratrix.

*Chester, December* 9, 1775.

## FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD.

ON Thursday, the 7th instant, at night, was broke open, the office of the subscriber, in Chester, and a bundle of paper money, containing 37l. consisting chiefly of Maryland and Pennsylvania currency, and some more loose cash, supposed in the whole to make upwards of Forty Pounds, stolen away; among the money are several Maryland Eight and Six Dollar bills, and two or more Fifty Shilling Pennsylvania bills, and divers smaller bills of each province. Whoever takes up the thief, and secures the money for me, shall have the above reward, or in proportion for as much cash as shall be secured, and Ten Pounds for the thief or thieves only, on conviction, paid by

† ELISHA PRICE.

THE Time of an English Servant Girl to be disposed of, hath between three and four years to serve; sold for no reason but not being used to the work where she now lives, and will best suit in the country. Enquire of the PRINTERS. ¶

*Philadelphia, December* 13, 1775.

THE subscriber returns his hearty thanks to his friends in particular, and the public in general, for their past and generous favours, and begs leave to inform them that he has removed from the house he formerly lived at (the sign of the Pennsylvania Farmer) to the sign of the Bull & Dog, opposite the Jersey-market, in Market-street, where he will open, on Wednesday next, a TAP of Messieurs HARE and Company's best DRAUGHT and BOTTLED AMERICAN PORTER, which the public may depend shall be served them in the greatest purity and goodness. He hopes therefore for the continuance of their custom, and that of all the Sons of American Liberty, which shall ever be gratefully acknowledged by their humble servant, ¶ JOSEPH PRICE.

## FOUR DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away, on the second day of December, 1775, from the subscriber, living in Front-street, near Arch-street, Philadelphia, an apprentice lad, named *John Barrot*, by trade a shoemaker, between 19 and 20 years of age, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, remarkably well set, long brown hair, tied behind, much freckled in the face; had on a castor hat, brown cloth coat, claret coloured cloth jacket, red under ditto, two homespun check shirts, good leather breeches, two pair yarn stockings, one white the othe grey, and coarse shoes. Whoever takes up said apprentice, and brings him to his said master, shall receive the above reward, and the favour will be gratefully acknowledged by

† JACOB BELL.

*Philadelphia, December* 12, 1775.

THREE Silver WATCHES, supposed to have been stolen, are now in the possession of the subscriber. The owners describing them, and paying the charges, may have them again. JAMES DELAPLAINE.

*Reading, December* 12, 1775.

To be sold by private sale, and to be entered on the first day of April next,

AN acre and one quarter, or thereabouts, of land, whereon is erected a large commodious two story messuage or tenement, with three rooms on each story, stone stable, shed, and convenient barn, yard, garden, young bearing orchard, a never-failing well of good spring water. The said premises are situate 7 miles from the city of Philadelphia, on the Germantown road, convenient for a tavern, store, or gentleman's seat, the former of which is now kept by Jacob Kommerer. For terms of sale apply to Peter Miller, Esq; in Third-street, Mr. John Keppele, Merchant, Market-street, Philadelphia, or to Mr. Martin Shawecker, on Chestnut-hill.

‡ PETER WITHINGTON.

THIS is to give notice to the creditors of SAMUEL OAKFORD, and LEWIS SMITH, confined for debt in the goal of Salem, that they be and appear before John Holme, and Andrew Sinnickson, Esquires, judges of the inferior Court of Common Pleas for said county, at the house of Joseph Haynes, goaler, in Salem, on the tenth day of January next, to shew cause, if any they have, why the said debtors should not be discharged, agreeable to an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, an Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors. †

BY Virtue of an Order of Orphan's Court for the County of Philadelphia, will be sold by public Vendue, on Saturday, the 30th day of December instant, on the Premises, a Messuage or Tenement, Plantation and Tract of Land, situate in Frederick Township, in the said County, containing about 150 Acres; bounded on the East by Thomas Maybury's Land, on the North by Land of Andrew Young and Richard Weiss, on the West and South by said Maybury's Land; late the Estate of John Smith, deceased. The Sale to begin about 10 o'Clock in the Forenoon. Attendance will be given at the Time and Place of Sale, by JACOB DETWEILER, and ANDREW ORL, Administrators. *December* 11, 1775. †

*Philadelphia, December* 13, 1775.

## FOUR DOLLARS REWARD.

RUN away, last Sunday evening, from on board the ship Neptune, lying at Plumstead's wharff, Robert Collings, master, an Irish servant man, named *Timothy Holland*, about 5 feet 6 inches high, well set, round full face, wears his own hair tied behind, about 25 years of age; had on, and took with him, a round felt hat, bound with black binding, a light coloured coating surtout coat, blue cloth coat and waistcoat, olive coloured striped corderoy breeches, white stockings and old shoes, one of them has a slit in the upper leather, and brass buckles. Whoever secures said servant, so that his master gets him again, shall be entitled to the above reward, or if taken 20 miles from Philadelphia, Forty Shillings and reasonable charges, by applying to JOHN BROWN, Merchant, below the Drawbridge, or said master on board. ¶

CAME to the plantation of the subscriber, in East-Caln township, Chester county, about the first of October last, a red two years old BULL, with one of his ears marked. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take him away. SAMUEL HUNT. †

## SIX POUNDS Reward.

BROKE out of the goal of this city, last night, a Dutchman, about 50 years of age, named *Andrew Yeager*, about 5 feet 6 inches high, wears a blue great coat, a large hat, can speak no English. He was committed to the goal for [illegible] ing Rudolph Bunner's store. Whoever apprehends said [illegible] soner, shall have the above reward of Six Pounds, paid by

*Philadelphia, Dec.* 5. THOMAS DEWEES, Goal

*Chester Township, Burlington County, December* 14, 1775.

## TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION or tract of land, containing [illegible] acres, in a high healthy part of the country, about [illegible] miles from Burlington and the same from Cooper's Ferry, within [illegible] mile of an English church and 3 miles from a Quakers meeting-house in Moore's-town; there are on the premises a dwelling [illegible] barn, stable, and other out-houses, a good bearing orchard, about 50 acres of cleared land, about 10 acres of meadow and more may be made, the woodland well timbered, all in good repair. The terms to the purchaser will be extremely easy. For further particulars, enquire of the subscriber, on the premises.

¶ JACOB LIPPINCOTT.

*Philadelphia, December* 14, 1775.

## FORTY SHILLINGS REWARD.

RUN away from the subscriber, last night, an apprentice lad, named *James Harrison*, by trade a shoemaker, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, and about 19 years of age, of a fair complexion, brown hair, tied with a false tail and sometimes loose, smooth face, very talkative when in liquor, and brags much of his manhood; had on, and took with him, two red double breasted jackets, one with sleeves, the other without, a brown coating coat, bound with brown binding, one single breasted red serge jacket, one half-worn castor hat, a pair of buckskin breeches, and a pair of sheepskin ditto, a check shirt, a pair of yarn stockings, one old coatee coat, one Indian blanket, a leather apron, an old pair of pumps, and Pinchbeck shoe-buckles. It is supposed he intends to go in some vessel, as he came from Ireland about two years ago. Whoever takes up said apprentice, and brings him home to me, shall have the above reward, and all reasonable charges, paid by ANDREW PRILLER.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off. ¶

*Somerset County, December* 12, 1775.

WHEREAS pursuant to sundry executions to me directed and delivered, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements, of the Right Honourable William Earl of Stirling, the same goods and chattels, land and tenements, have been repeatedly advertised for sale, and the sale thereof was actually begun on the twenty-third day of November last, and continued for the space of three days. And whereas on the 27th of November aforesaid, the sale was further adjourned for want of buyers, and by the agreement of his Lordship and the creditors, for one month, at which time, if the said executions be not settled, it was farther agreed by the parties, that sale should be made of all the said goods and chattels, lands and tenements, without opposition or further delay, which is testified in writing, under the hand of the said Earl of Stirling. I do therefore give this notice, that, on the 27th of December instant, I shall begin the sale of the said goods and chattels, lands and tenements, and continue the same until all shall be sold, or until the executions in my hands shall be satisfied. ROBERT STOCKTON, Sheriff.

FOUND about six weeks ago, on the road between the Lower Ferry and Darby, a piece of home-made CLOTH, not fulled. The owner, proving his property and paying charges, may have it again, by applying to JACOB KAUFFMAN, living in East Whiteland township, Chester county. ¶

ALL Persons who have any Demands on JOSEPH PEMBERTON, of this City, Merchant, are desired to bring or send their Accounts to the Subscribers, or to one of them; and those who are indebted to him are desired to make speedy Payment.

*Philad. Twelfth-Month* 12, 1775. JOHN REYNELL, SAMUEL MILES, JOSHUA HOWELL, HENRY DRINKER, } Assignees.

TO BE SOLD, by the said ASSIGNEES,

A Parcel of choice old MADEIRA WINES,

In Pipes, Hogsheads and Quarter-casks. ‡

IMPORTED and to be SOLD by

MATTHIAS LANDENBERGER,

In Water-street, a few Doors below Chestnut-street,

MUSCOVADO SUGAR, Coffee, Cotton, Piemento, Cocoa, and Jamaica HIDES. ‖ 6 W.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there is at the plantation of the subscriber, living in Coventry township, Chester county, about two weeks past, a brown BULL, with a white face, a year old last spring, marked with a crop in the near ear, and a slit in the off ear. The owner thereof is desired to come, prove his property, pay the charges, and take him away, by

¶ HENRY BEAR.

For Cork, Falmouth and London,

THE SHIP

ELIZABETH,

*ROBERT CAMPBELL*,

COMMANDER,

ANY person inclinable to go passenger, may apply to the Commander on board, and at the Coffee-House, or of RICHARD NEAVE, junior.

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